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New Zealand PM impressed by Malaysia's audit initiatives



New Zealand Prime Minister Christopher Luxon

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KUALA LUMPUR: New Zealand Prime Minister Christopher Luxon has expressed interest in initiatives introduced by Malaysia to enhance transparency, integrity and accountability in government financial management through audit activities.

He was particularly impressed by initiatives by the National Audit Department (NAD).

This was conveyed during a meeting with Auditor General Datuk Seri Wan Suraya Wan Mohd Radzi, who was invited as Luxon's honoured guest under the Prime Minister's Asean Fellow programme from Feb 11 to 13 in Wellington.

"Luxon also expressed his excitement about NAD's digital initiatives, such as the auditor general's online dashboard (AG's Dashboard) and the e-SelfAudit System," the department said in a Facebook post today.

According to NAD, Wan Suraya also paid courtesy calls on New Zealand's State-Owned Enterprises Minister Simeon Brown, Auditor General John Ryan, Chief Ombudsman Peter Boshier and Serious Fraud Office director Karen Chang.

She also met with Malaysian High Commissioner to New Zealand, Mazita Marzuki, and chaired the Closing Meeting for the Audit of the Malaysian High Commission in New Zealand.